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DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)

Title of Invention	SURFACE ADSORBING POLYMERS AND THE USES THEREOF TO TREAT HYDROPHOBIC OR HYDROPHILIC SURFACES
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As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

- ☐ The attached application, or
- ☒ Application No. 09/975,192, filed on October 10, 2001,
- ☐ as amended on _____ (if applicable);

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/ we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

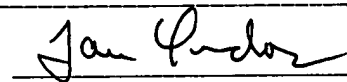
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FULL NAME OF INVENTOR(S)

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Jan Sudor

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Name Jan Sudor

Signature 

Date 02-11-2002

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Docket No. G-090US03REG
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Art Unit : 1713
Applicant(s) : Jan Sudor
Serial No. : 09/975,192
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Conf. No. : 8803
For : Surface Adsorbing Polymers and the Uses Thereof to Treat Hydrophobic or Hydrophilic Surfaces

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY AND NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY

Sir:

Genset, S.A., a corporation having a place of business at 24 rue Royale, 75008 – Paris, France, certifies that it is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under an application for letters patent, filed on **October 10, 2001**, as Serial No. **09/975,192**, for an invention entitled “*Surface Adsorbing Polymers and the Uses Thereof to Treat Hydrophobic or Hydrophilic Surfaces*,” and that **Genset S.A.** is the assignee of record by virtue of an assignment from the inventor(s) of the above-identified application that has been recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel/Frame _____, or as indicated in the attached copy of an executed assignment.

Genset, S.A., hereby revokes all previous Powers of Attorney, and it hereby appoints the following persons registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office as its attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and all divisions and continuations thereof and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: the registrants of the firm Saliwanchik, Lloyd & Saliwanchik, A Professional Association, 2421 N.W. 41st Street, Suite A-1, Gainesville, FL 32606-6669, **Customer ID Number 23,557**.

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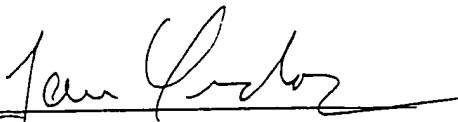
WHEREAS, I, Jan Sudor, a citizen of Czech Republic, residing at 127, av. Camille Pujol; 31500 Toulouse; France, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a SURFACE ADSORBING POLYMERS AND THE USES THEREOF TO TREAT HYDROPHOBIC OR HYDROPHILIC SURFACES; for which I have filed an application for Letters Patent in the United States, Application Serial No. 09/975,192, filed on October 10, 2001.

AND WHEREAS, GENSET, S.A. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a French Corporation, with its principal place of business at 24, rue Royale, 75008 Paris, France, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said inventor, do hereby acknowledge that I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND I HEREBY covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

SIGNED this 27 day of February 2002.


Jan Sudor

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